

# Caseloads of the Courts of Washington

## Court Activity, Division I (4) - 2013 Annual Report

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	Criminal	Civil	Total	Personal Restraint	Discretionary Review	Total	All Reviews
FILINGS							
Total Filings	421	627	1,048	344	172	516	1,564
RESOLUTIONS (5)							
Opinions Published	39	89	128	0	4	4	132
Opinions Unpublished	320	281	601	16	13	29	630
Opinion Terminating Review	359	370	729	16	17	33	762
Dismissed	0	1	1	347	3	350	351
Transferred/Certified	0	0	0	5	1	6	6
Review Not Accepted	2	0	2	0	29	29	31
Other Terminations	4	18	22	8	3	11	33
Order Terminating Review	6	19	25	360	36	396	421
Decided on Merits	4	9	13	0	0	0	13
Dismissed	57	206	263	60	50	110	373
Transferred/Certified	0	1	1	0	0	0	1
Review Not Accepted	0	8	8	0	58	58	66
Other Terminations	0	4	4	1	2	3	7
Ruling Terminating Review	61	228	289	61	110	171	460
Total Resolved	426	617	1,043	437	163	600	1,643

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PENDING AT YEAR END (1)							
Cases Stayed	5	33	38	30	2	32	70
Brief Not Filed	268	281	549	91	55	146	695
Appellant Brief Filed	74	48	122	10	3	13	135
Respondent Brief Filed	136	177	313	24	14	38	351
Set for Commissioners' Calendar	1	5	6	0	8	8	14
Ruling Referred to Panel	0	0	0	1	8	9	9
Set for Oral Argument (2)	40	49	89	1	3	4	93
Total Awaiting Hearing	524	593	1,117	157	93	250	1,367
Opinion/Order in Process	11	49	60	1	4	5	65
Total Pending Decision	535	642	1,177	158	97	255	1,432
MANDATED (3)							
Opinion Terminating Review	420	410	830	15	20	35	865
Order Terminating Review	3	8	11	310	42	352	363
Ruling Terminating Review	73	232	305	57	119	176	481
Other Decision Terminating Review	2	5	7	1	11	12	19
Total Mandated	498	655	1,153	383	192	575	1,728

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